



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re the Application of

Frederic BESEME et al.

Group Art Unit: 1633

Application No.: 10/717,580

Examiner: M. MARVICH

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Docket No.: 105045.01

For: ENDOGENETIC RETROVIRAL SEQUENCES, ASSOCIATED WITH AUTOIMMUNE DISEASES OR WITH PREGNANCY DISORDERS

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

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- ☒ Enclosed (Check No. 227185)
- ☐ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application with no Board Decision on the merits).

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